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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Central Intelligence

VIA: Deputy Director of Central Intelligence

FROM:
Director, Intelligence Community Staff

SUBJECT: FY 1984-1988 National Foreign Intelligence Program

REFERENCE: Letter from the Deputy Secretary of Defense, dated
8 July 1982, ER 82-5487

1. Action Requested: Acknowledgement of referenced letter and advisory to Program Managers.

2. Background: Deputy Secretary of Defense indicated in his letter (referenced above) that, as a result of the FY 1984-1988 Program Review, the Secretary and the Deputy Secretary cannot endorse a higher NFIP level

The proposed response to Mr. Carlucci acknowledges his difficulty, and solicits continued support for the NFIP.

Since the expectations of the Program Managers have been raised by the funding increases in the past several budgets and the promise of the 1985 Capabilities Study, they should be apprised of the serious potential funding constraints for FY 1984 and asked to scrub down their programs to the maximum extent possible.

3. Recommendation: Request dispatch of the attached letters to the Deputy Secretary of Defense and to the Program Managers of the NFIP.

Attachments:

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